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Sec. 5113. (1) Except as otherwise provided in part 52 and section 9123, this article and articles 6 and 9 or the rules promulgated under those articles shall not be construed to require the medical treatment, testing, or examination of an individual who objects on the grounds that the medical treatment, testing, or examination violates the personal religious beliefs of the individual or of the parent, guardian, or person in loco parentis of a minor.

(2) This section does not exempt an individual from compliance with applicable laws, rules, or regulations regarding sanitation and the reporting of diseases as provided by this code.

**HISTORY:** Act 368, 1978, p 865; eff September 30, 1978.

Pub Acts 1978, No. 368, § 5113, eff September 30, 1978; amended by Pub Acts 1988, No. 491, eff March 30, 1989 (see 1988 note below).

**NOTES:**

Editor's notes:

Pub Acts 1988, No. 491, § 3, eff March 30, 1989, provides:

"Section 3. This amendatory act shall not take effect unless all of the following bills of

the 84th Legislature are enacted into law:

"House Bill No. 4008 [which became Act No. 471 of 1988].

"House Bill No. 4103 [which became Act No. 489 of 1988].

"House Bill No. 5026 [which became Act No. 490 of 1988].

"House Bill No. 5189 [which became Act No. 488 of 1988]."

Statutory references:

Part 52, above referred to, is § 333.5201 ; Section 9123 is 333.9123 .

Cross References:

Waiver of venereal disease test requirements based upon applicants' religious beliefs, § 333.5242.

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